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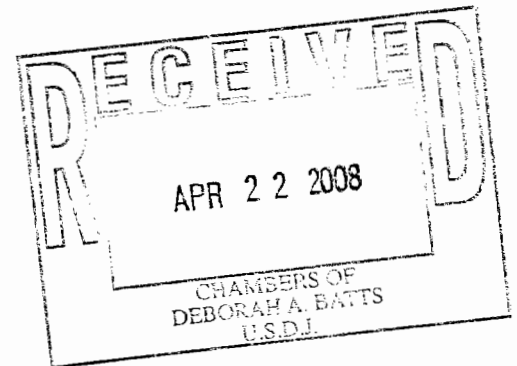
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April 21, 2008

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Honorable Deborah A. Batts  
United States District Judge  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York  
Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, New York 10007



Re: Carmen Roman v. The City of New York,  
07 CV 10985 (DAB)

Dear Judge Batts:

I am an Assistant Corporation Counsel in the Labor and Employment Law Division of the New York City Law Department and the attorney assigned to the defense of defendant City of New York ("the City") in this action. This letter is written to respectfully request an extension of time, from April 23, 2008 until May 14, 2008, within which the City may respond to the amended complaint filed in this action. Plaintiff consents to the request. This is the City's first request for an extension of time to respond to the amended complaint.

The reason for this request is that the City needs additional time to retrieve and review documents and other information regarding the allegations in the amended complaint before

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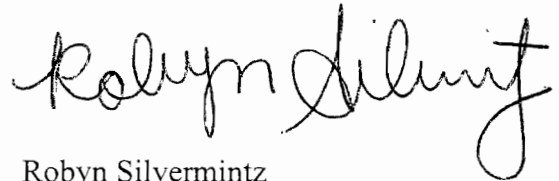
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**SO ORDERED**  
*Deborah A. Batts*  
DEBORAH A. BATTS  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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preparing an appropriate response.

Thank you for your consideration in this regard.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robyn Silvermintz". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Robyn" and last name "Silvermintz" clearly distinguishable.

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SO ORDERED

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